



AF 2875/\$

PATENT
DOCKET NO. 310030-234

#20
Exl. of Time
(3)

I certify that on November 4, 2001, which is the date I am signing this certificate, this correspondence and all listed attachments are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

James A. Henricks
James A. Henricks

RECEIVED
NOV 11 2001
TO 2000 MAIL ROOM

12-13-01
D. Bell

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Patent Application Of: **RICHARD J. RICHARDSON**

Examiner: **Ward, J.**

Serial Number: 08/919,947

Filed: August 29, 1997

Group Art Unit: 2875

Title: LIGHTING CIRCUIT, LIGHTING SYSTEM METHOD AND APPARATUS, SOCKET ASSEMBLY, LAMP INSULATOR ASSEMBLY AND COMPONENTS THEREOF

Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE APPEAL BRIEF

PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks for a three-month extension of time to file the Appeal Brief.

The new due date will be: November 4, 2001.

Applicant is not a small entity; accordingly submitted herewith is our check:

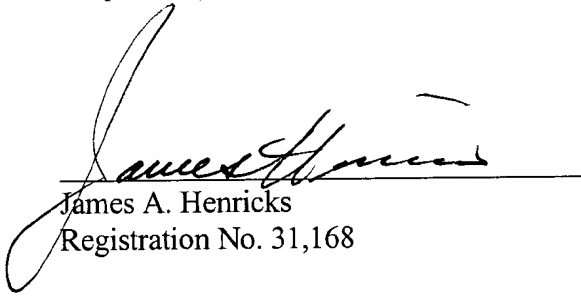
Check No. : 2600
Amount : \$920.00

This Petition is being filed simultaneously with APPELLANT'S BRIEF.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, relating to this communication to Account No. 50-0655. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: November 4, 2001



James A. Henricks
Registration No. 31,168

HENRICKS, SLAVIN & HOLMES LLP
840 Apollo Street, Ste. 200
El Segundo, CA 90245-4737
310-563-1456
310-563-1460 (fax)
jhenricks@hsh-iplaw.com (Email)